

THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY OF PARIS

ORIENTATION GUIDE

UNDERGRADUATE - FALL 2021





ORIENTATION EVENTS

Welcome to Paris and your new life as an AUP student! This guide is designed to walk you through your orientation experience with a description of each session.

WELCOME SESSION (ONLINE)

Orientation kicks off with an online Welcome Session hosted by The President, the Provost and the Vice-President for Student Services who will greet you and your fellow students. You will learn about the exciting orientation events of the week ahead of you and how to make the best of your AUP experience

Welcome Session for First Year Study Abroad and Visiting Students

Saturday, August 28, 2021

17h00-18h00

Welcome Session for First-year and Transfer Students

Saturday, August 28, 2021

18h00-19h00

YOUR STUDENT ADVISOR

All incoming students are assigned a student advisor. Student advisors not only accompany you and other members of your incoming group to various orientation events but also provide support throughout the semester. Think of these students –who know their way around Paris and AUP – as a resource and get to know them at your first event at orientation.

HOUSING INFO SESSION

Learn everything you need to know about managing apartment life in your residence, from

dealing with maintenance issues to rules and regulations related to noise management and neighbor and roommate relations. If you are housed by AUP, this session is mandatory.

FIRSTBRIDGE MEETING:

Meet the instructors of your FirstBridge courses (one of whom is your academic advisor) and the other students enrolled in your FB group and learn about the theme of these paired courses and their multi-disciplinary approach pedagogy.



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ACADEMIC ADVISING

Your liberal arts degree will give you the freedom to make choices about your major, your courses, and more. During orientation, you will meet either one-on-one with your faculty advisor or with a professional staff advisor from the Center for Academic, Career, and Experiential Advising (ACE) to ensure that your course selection for your first semester is ideal for your interests and your academic success

CAMPUS TOUR AND METRO

Join an AUP student advisor for this comprehensive tour of AUP's campus and learn how to find your way on campus. Your Student Advisor will also teach you how to manage Paris public transportation and get your pass during events outside of campus at orientation. Your student advisor will also review prices, forms and the process to register for yearly travel passes for the Paris Metro, buses and RER. One semester students learn how to obtain a rechargeable travel pass for unlimited travel during their stay.

DISCOVER PARIS TOURS

With AUP's campus located in the heart of the 7th *arrondissement*, finding your way around this neighborhood quickly becomes second nature. With your student advisor, you will venture beyond this part of Paris to discover another side of the City of Light and get a better sense of what it means to be Parisian.

PICNIC AT CHAMP DE MARS

Enjoy a picnic with your fellow students and student advisor on the *Champ de Mars*, right at the foot of the Eiffel Tower. French bread,

cheese (or something else) and a beautiful view...yes, you ARE in Paris!

GPS Q&A SESSION (ONLINE)

If you have questions about the Global Professional Skills or would like to get more information, join this online information session to learn more.

INTERNATIONAL SOS PHONE APP:

The SOS Assistance App will provide you with one-click dialing to the closest SOS center and up-to-date medical and security information on your phone.

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OPEN MIC/KARAOKE

AUP's got talent. Each semester students get up on stage to sing, play music, dance, tell jokes and show off their talents in other ways. This is a great way to get to know people in your incoming class and to start the year on a positive, energetic note. Open mic/ Karaoke nights are organized throughout the semester – come get your first taste of an AUP tradition!

WELCOME FAIR

Gain hands-on experience and simply have fun by participating in one or more of the many extracurricular and co-curricular activities which are an integral part of the AUP experience. Talk with student leaders and AUP staff at the fair about your interests and get involved in student

government, student media, clubs, sports and/or volunteer work – or start your own activity! Students who want to join competitive sports teams or sign up for a gym membership should not miss the Welcome Fair!

STUDENT RESOURCE CENTER

The Student Resource Center is open the entire week of Orientation. Staff at the center are on hand to answer questions and resolve problems, referring you to the right AUP resources as needed. Note that the center opens in the Combes Student Life Center (4th floor) on Tuesday, August 31.

CONTACT INFORMATION

You may not always be sure of who to contact when faced with a specific concern or question. The list below identifies offices that can help with various issues. If dialing from a non-campus phone, dial 01 40 62 0... before the extension. Information is also easily available at www.aup.edu.

YOUR CONCERN	OFFICE	LOCATION	AUP EXTENSION
Academic Concerns	Provost's Office	L-108	604
Academic Requirements	Advising	Q-302 & 303	661, 660 & 671
Academic Status	Registrar's Office	L-011	612 & 813
Add/Drop Courses	Registrar's Office	L-011	612 & 813
Admissions	Admissions Office <i>admissions@aup.edu</i>	L	720
Books and Supplies	Bookstore	PL	594
Class Schedules	Registrar Office	L-011	818
Complaints/Misc	Student Development Office	C-408	630 & 631
Computer Information	ITS Help Desk <i>helpdesk@aup.edu</i>	QA-201	696
Counseling	Counseling Office <i>guidancecounseling@aup.edu</i>	C-405 & 406	643, 632
Credits	Advising	Q-302 & 303	661, 660 & 671
Cultural Events/Tickets	Cultural Program Office <i>cultural_affairs@aup.edu</i>	C-305	596
Doctors/Health Concerns	Health Office <i>health@aup.edu</i>	C-502 & 503	577 & 610
Financial Aid	Financial Aid Office <i>admissions@aup.edu</i>	L	720
Housing/Roommates	Residential Life Office <i>housing@aup.edu</i>	C-303 & 308	597, 598 & 599
ID Cards	Registrar's Office	L-011	813
Learning Accommodations Registration	Counseling Office <i>guidancecounseling@aup.edu</i>	C-406	632
Lost and Found	Combes Reception	C	616
Residency Permit/Visa	Student Immigration Services <i>sis@aup.edu</i>	L-201	615
Student Accounting Services	Student Accounting Services (SAS) Office	L-J05	711
Student Activities Info	Student Leadership Office <i>student_leadership@aup.edu</i>	C-306	821
Transcripts	Registrar's Office	L-011	813
Transfer Credits	Advising	Q-302 & 303	661, 660 & 671

LOCATION KEY Combes (C) 6, rue du Colonel Combes | La Tour Maubourg (L & L-J) 5, boulevard de La Tour-Maubourg | Passage Landrieu (PL) 2 bis, passage Landrieu | Quai d'Orsay (Q) 69, quai d'Orsay

AMEX CAFE

The social center for students and faculty on campus. Located in the Combes Student Life Center, here you will find a place to study, meet a friend for coffee or to enjoy a delicious meal.



STUDENT ADVISORS

MEET YOUR STUDENT ADVISOR

Your student advisor will lead you on a unique selection of social events and activities throughout the week of Orientation, as well as accompanying you throughout the semester to answer questions, direct you to relevant campus services and update you about student activities.



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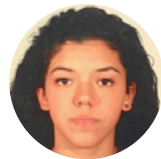
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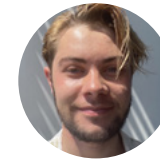
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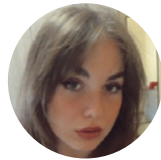
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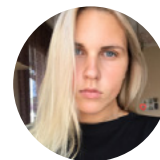
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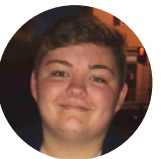
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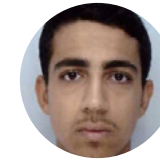
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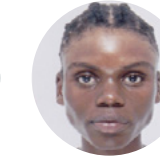
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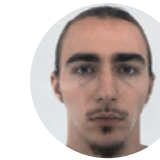
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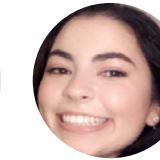
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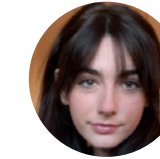
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Valeria
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AUP ENGAGE: Your one-stop shop for all student-related campus activities; visit regularly to learn about upcoming events, clubs and student organizations.

[ENGAGE.AUP.EDU](https://engage.aup.edu)

FIRST-YEAR STUDENTS

	AUGUST 30 MONDAY	AUGUST 31 TUESDAY
MORNING		<p>GET TO KNOW YOUR STUDENT ADVISOR 9:00-10:00</p> <p>Group F1: <u>C-101</u> Group F7: <u>G-002</u> Group F13: <u>Q-604</u> Group F2: <u>C-102</u> Group F8: <u>G-009</u> Group F14: <u>Q-704</u> Group F3: <u>C-103</u> Group F9: <u>G-102</u> Group F15: <u>PL-2</u> Group F4: <u>C-104</u> Group F10: <u>G-113</u> Group F16: <u>PL-4</u> Group F5: <u>G-L21</u> Group F11: <u>G-207</u> Group F17: <u>PL-1</u> Group F6: <u>G-L22</u> Group F12: <u>PL-3</u> Group F18: <u>Q-A101</u></p> <p>CAMPUS TOUR 10:00-11:30 Meet outside Combes Groups F1-4</p> <p>PHONES 10:00-11:30 Free Shop Groups F13-15</p> <p>BANKING 10:00-11:30 Combes 302 Groups F5-8</p>
AFTERNOON	<p>ARRIVAL DAY FOR ALL</p> <p>HOUSING LANDING 09:00-16:00 Combes All Groups</p>	<p>CAMPUS TOUR 11:30-13:00 Meet outside Combes Groups F5-8</p> <p>PHONES 11:30-13:00 Free Shop Groups F16-18</p> <p>BANKING 11:30-13:00 Combes 302 Groups F9-12</p>
		<p>CAMPUS TOUR 13:00-14:30 Meet outside Combes Groups F9-12</p> <p>PHONES 13:00-14:30 Free Shop Groups F1-4</p> <p>BANKING 13:00-14:30 Combes 302 Groups F13-15</p>
		<p>CAMPUS TOUR 14:30-16:00 Meet outside Combes Groups F13-15</p> <p>PHONES 14:30-16:00 Free Shop Groups F5-8</p> <p>BANKING 14:30-16:00 Combes 302 Groups F16-18</p>
		<p>CAMPUS TOUR 16:00-17:30 Meet outside Combes F16-18</p> <p>PHONES 16:00-17:30 Free Shop Groups F9-12</p> <p>BANKING 16:00-17:30 Combes 302 Groups F1-4</p> <p>FIRSTBRIDGE MEETING 18:00-19:00</p> <p>FB 1: <u>C-102</u> FB 4: <u>G-L21</u> FB 7: <u>G-009</u> FB 10: <u>G-102</u> FB 2: <u>G-002</u> FB 5: <u>G-L22</u> FB 8: <u>Q-A101</u> FB 11: <u>G-113</u> FB 3: <u>C-104</u> FB 6: <u>C-103</u> FB 9: <u>Q-604</u> FB 12: <u>Q-704</u></p>
EVENING	<p>HOUSING INFO SESSION 18:00-19:00 In your residence All students housed by AUP</p>	<p>DINNER OUT WITH STUDENT ADVISOR 19:00-21:00 Meet in front of Combes All Groups</p>

Please refer to your individual schedule for specific event times with your group.

	SEPTEMBER 1 WEDNESDAY	SEPTEMBER 2 THURSDAY	SEPTEMBER 3 FRIDAY
MORNING		<p>CHECK OUT & ID CARDS 09:30-16:30 Quai Atrium All Groups</p> <p>GPS Q&A 10:00-11:00 Online All Groups</p>	<p>CHECK OUT & ID CARDS 09:30-16:30 Quai Atrium All Groups</p>
AFTERNOON	<p>FIRSTBRIDGE INDIVIDUAL ADVISING APPOINTMENT 08:30-15:00 Saint Dominique 1 All Groups</p>	<p>PICNIC 12:00-14:00 Meet at AMEX Café All Groups</p>	<p>WELCOME FAIR 12:30-14:20 Combes All Groups</p>
EVENING	<p>OPEN MIC/ KARAOKE 18:00-21:00 Combes All Groups</p>		<p>DISCOVER PARIS TOUR 19:00-22:00 Meet in front of Combes All Groups</p>

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TRANSFER STUDENTS

	AUGUST 30 MONDAY	AUGUST 31 TUESDAY
MORNING		<p><u>GPS Q&A</u> <u>11:30-12:30</u> Online All Groups</p>
AFTERNOON	<p>ARRIVAL DAY FOR ALL</p> <p><u>HOUSING LANDING</u> <u>09:00-16:00</u> Combes All Groups</p>	<p>GET TO KNOW YOUR STUDENT ADVISOR <u>17:00-18:00</u></p> <p>Group T1: <u>Combes 101</u> Group T2: <u>Combes 102</u> Group T3: <u>Combes 103</u> Group T4: <u>Combes 104</u> Group T5: <u>Quai Annex 101</u> Group T6: <u>Quai 509</u></p>
EVENING	<p><u>HOUSING INFO SESSION</u> <u>18:00-19:00</u> In your residence All students housed by AUP</p>	<p><u>DINNER OUT WITH STUDENT ADVISOR</u> <u>19:00-21:00</u> Meet in front of Passage Landrieu All Groups</p>

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	SEPTEMBER 1 WEDNESDAY	SEPTEMBER 2 THURSDAY	SEPTEMBER 3 FRIDAY
MORNING	<p><u>PHONES</u> <u>10:00-11:30</u> Free Shop Groups T4 & 5</p> <p><u>CAMPUS TOUR</u> <u>10:30-12:00</u> Meet outside Combes Groups T2 & 6</p>	<p><u>CHECK OUT & ID CARDS</u> <u>09:30-16:30</u> Quai Atrium All Groups</p> <p><u>WELCOME FAIR</u> <u>9:30-11:30</u> Combes All Groups</p> <p><u>PICNIC</u> <u>11:30-12:30</u> Meet at AMEX Café All Groups</p>	
AFTERNOON	<p><u>CAMPUS TOUR</u> <u>13:00-14:30</u> Meet outside Combes Groups T3</p> <p><u>CAMPUS TOUR</u> <u>14:30-16:00</u> Meet outside Combes Groups T1, 4 & 5</p> <p><u>PHONES</u> <u>14:30-16:00</u> Free Shop Groups T3 & 6</p> <p><u>PHONES</u> <u>16:00-17:30</u> Free Shop Groups T1 & 2</p>	<p><u>BANKING</u> <u>13:00-14:30</u> Combes 302 Groups T1, 4 & 5</p> <p><u>BANKING</u> <u>14:30-16:00</u> Combes 302 Groups T2</p> <p><u>BANKING</u> <u>16:00-17:30</u> Combes 302 Groups T3 & 6</p>	<p><u>SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENT</u> Saint Dominique 1 Groups T1-3: <u>13:30</u> Groups T4-6: <u>15:30</u></p>
EVENING	<p><u>OPEN MIC/KARAOKE</u> <u>18:00-21:00</u> Combes All Groups</p>		<p><u>DISCOVER PARIS TOUR</u> <u>19:00-22:00</u> Meet in front of Passage Landrieu All Groups</p>

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VISITING STUDENTS

	AUGUST 31 TUESDAY	SEPTEMBER 1 WEDNESDAY
MORNING		
AFTERNOON	<p>ARRIVAL DAY FOR ALL</p> <p>HOUSING LANDING 09:00-16:00 Combes All Groups</p>	<p>PICNIC 12:30-14:30 Meet at AMEX Café All Groups</p> <p>GET TO KNOW YOUR STUDENT ADVISOR 15:00-16:00</p> <p>Group V1: <u>Passage Landrieu 1</u> Group V2: <u>Passage Landrieu 2</u> Group V3: <u>Passage Landrieu 3</u> Group V4: <u>Quai 604</u> Group V5: <u>Quai 704</u></p>
EVENING	<p>HOUSING INFO SESSION 18:00-19:00 In your residence All students housed by AUP</p>	<p>DINNER OUT WITH STUDENT ADVISOR 19:00-21:00 Meet in front of Passage Landrieu All Groups</p>

	SEPTEMBER 2 THURSDAY	SEPTEMBER 3 FRIDAY
MORNING	<p>SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENT Saint Dominique 1 Groups V1-2: <u>09:15</u> Groups V4-5: <u>10:30</u> Groups V3: <u>11:45</u></p> <p>CHECK OUT & ID CARDS <u>09:30-16:30</u> Quai Atrium All Groups</p> <p>PHONES <u>10:00-11:30</u> Free Shop Groups V1-2</p>	<p>CHECK OUT & ID CARDS <u>09:30-16:30</u> Quai Atrium All Groups</p>
AFTERNOON	<p>CAMPUS TOUR 13:00-14:30 Meet outside Combes Groups V1-2</p> <p>CAMPUS TOUR 14:30-16:00 Meet outside Combes Group V3</p> <p>CAMPUS TOUR 16:00-17:30 Meet outside Combes Groups V4-5</p> <p>PHONES <u>16:00-17:30</u> Free Shop Group V3</p>	<p>WELCOME FAIR <u>15:30-17:30</u> Combes All Groups</p>
EVENING	<p>OPEN MIC/KARAOKE <u>18:00-21:00</u> Combes All Groups</p>	<p>DISCOVER PARIS TOUR <u>19:00-22:00</u> Meet in front of Passage Landrieu All Groups</p>

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FIRST YEAR ABROAD

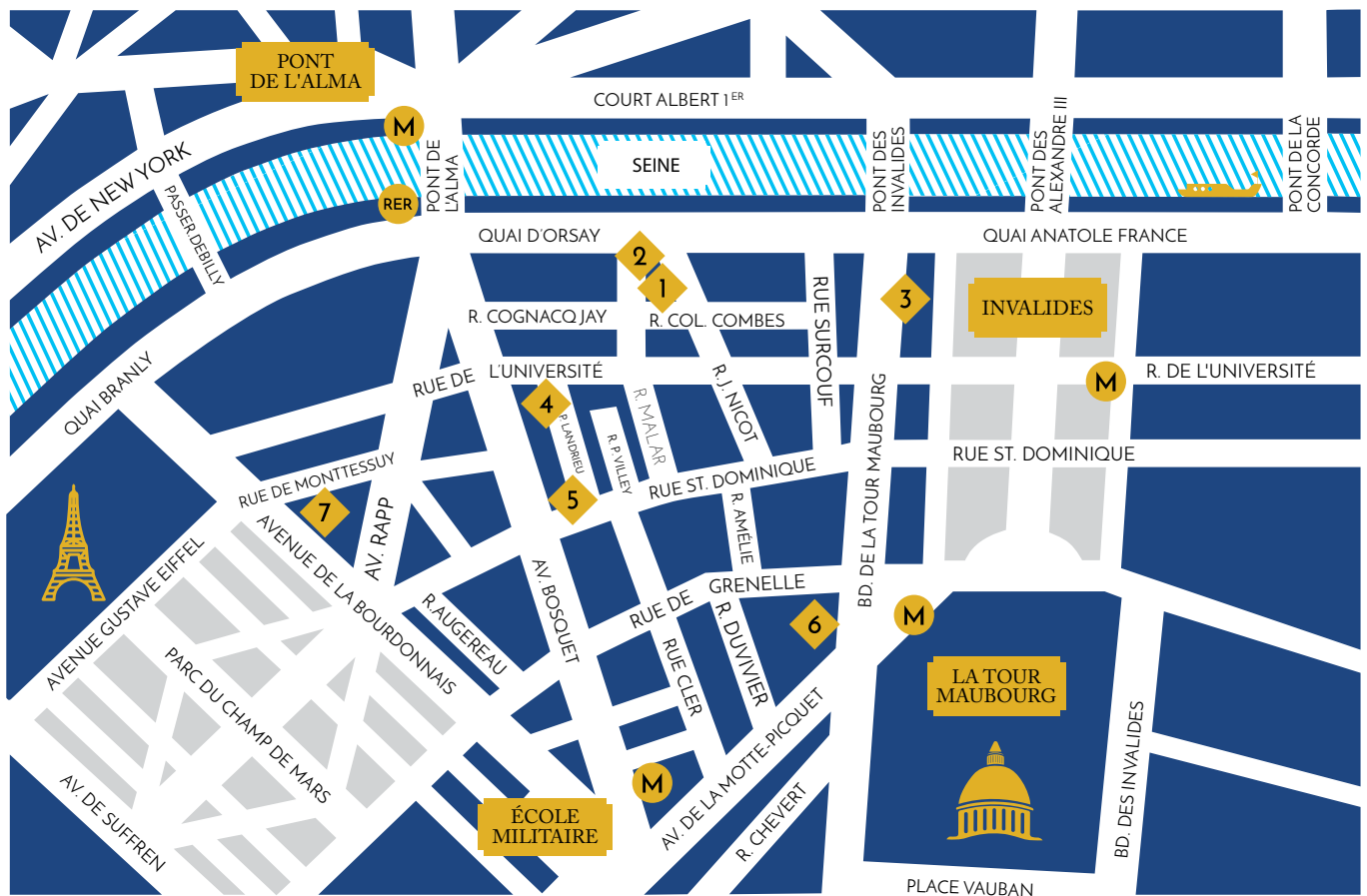
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EVENING	HOUSING INFO SESSION <u>18:00-19:00</u> In your residence All students housed by AUP	DINNER OUT WITH STUDENT ADVISOR <u>19:00-21:00</u> Meet in Combes 104 All Groups

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	SEPTEMBER 2 THURSDAY	SEPTEMBER 3 FRIDAY
MORNING	CHECK OUT & ID CARDS <u>09:30-16:30</u> Quai Atrium All Groups	CHECK OUT & ID CARDS <u>09:30-16:30</u> Quai Atrium All Groups
AFTERNOON	CAMPUS TOUR <u>10:00-11:30</u> Meet outside Combes Groups FA1-3	PHONES <u>10:00-11:30</u> Free Shop Groups FA9-10
	BANKING <u>10:00-11:30</u> Combes 302 Groups FA6-8	SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENT Saint Dominique 1 Groups FA11-12: <u>09:30</u> Groups FA1-2: <u>11:45</u> Groups FA3-4: <u>13:15</u> Groups FA5-6: <u>14:00</u> Groups FA7-8: <u>14:45</u> Groups FA9-10: <u>15:30</u>
	CAMPUS TOUR <u>11:30-13:00</u> Meet outside Combes Groups FA4-5 & FA11-12	PHONES <u>11:30-13:00</u> Free Shop Groups FA6-8
	BANKING <u>11:30-13:00</u> Combes 302 Groups FA9-10	WELCOME FAIR <u>15:30-17:30</u> Combes All Groups
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AUP CAMPUS MAP



- 1** COMBES STUDENT LIFE CENTER
6, RUE DU COLONEL COMBES
AMEX Café, Classrooms, Cultural Program, Faculty Offices, Fine Arts Gallery, Graduate Student Lounge, Housing, Sports, Student Development, Student Government Association, Student Health Care Office, Student Lounge, AUP Student Media, Counseling, Residential Life and Housing.
- 2** QUAI D'ORSAY LEARNING COMMONS
69, QUAI D'ORSAY*
Academic Resource Center, Advising, Classrooms, Career Development Office, Faculty Offices, Internship Office, IT Services, Library, Research Centers, Writing Lab, Multimedia Office
- 3** ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
5, BOULEVARD DE LA TOUR-MAUBOURG
Registrar's Office, Student Accounting Services, Admissions, Student Immigration Services, Alumni Affairs, President's Office, Provost, Academic Affairs, Outreach & Advancement
- 4** CLASSROOMS & FACULTY OFFICES
2 BIS, PASSAGE LANDRIEU
Bookstore, Classrooms, Faculty Offices
- 5** CLASSROOMS & FACULTY OFFICES
102, RUE ST. DOMINIQUE
Classrooms, Faculty Offices, Student Mail
- 6** GRENELLE TEACHING & MENTORING CENTER - 147, RUE DE GRENELLE
Classrooms, Faculty Offices
- 7** MONTESSUY CENTER FOR THE ARTS (UNDER RENOVATION)

*Principal access to the Quai d'Orsay Learning Commons is through 6, rue du Colonel Combes.